

## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE United States Patent and Trademark Office Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
09/534,092	03/23/2000	Waleed H. Hassanein	2601.1001-009	9125
21005	590 06/02/2005		EXAMINER	
HAMILTON, BROOK, SMITH & REYNOLDS, P.C. 530 VIRGINIA ROAD P.O. BOX 9133			SAUCIER, SANDRA E	
			ART UNIT	PAPER NUMBER
CONCORD, MA 01742-9133		·	1651	

DATE MAILED: 06/02/2005

Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.



## UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

U.S. Patent and Trademark Office

Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

APPLICATION NO. | FILING DATE | FIRST NAMED INVENTOR | HA SEANEIN | ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. |

9 | 534092 | EXAMINER |

S. SAUCUM

ART UNIT | PAPER | 1651 | 20050601

DATE MAILED:

Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.

SEE ATTACHMENT

**Commissioner for Patents** 

Sandra Saucier Primary Examiner Art Unit: 1651 Art Unit: 1651

## **ATTACHMENT**

Page 2

The information disclosure statement filed 5/16/05 fails to comply with 37 CFR 1.97(d) because it lacks a statement as specified in 37 CFR 1.97(e). It has been placed in the application file, but the information referred to therein has not been considered.

In view of the papers filed 4/6/05, it has been found that this nonprovisional application, as filed, through error and without deceptive intent, improperly set forth the inventorship, and accordingly, this application has been corrected in compliance with 37 CFR 1.48(a). The inventorship of this application has been changed by the addition of S. Khuri, M. Crittenden and V. Brjiniuk.

The application will be forwarded to the Office of Initial Patent Examination (OIPE) for issuance of a corrected filing receipt, and correction of Office records to reflect the inventorship as corrected.

Sandra Saucier

Patent Examiner

AU 1651

June 2, 2005